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WEDNESDAY, 22ND JANUARY, 1890.
From 8-30 p.m. to 11 p.m.
A MOST ATTRACTIVE PROGRAMME
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FROM 8-30 P.M. TO 9-30 THERE WILL BE GENERAL SKATING,
1st Event at 9-30 sharp—Mr. H. A. SIMMONS will give Exhibitions of Scientific Skating.
2nd Event.—An OPEN BACKWARD RACE, distance 4 laps.
3rd Event.—An Open Race of 8 laps; all competitors must wear masks or disguise.
GENERAL SKATING UNTIL 11 O'CLOCK.
TICKETS ARE NOW ON SALE, ONLY AT RINK OFFICE
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SEALED TENDERS will be received on board H. M. S. "Mariner," at Bombay, by the Senior Naval Officer, for the supply of SOUTH WALES COAL to Her Majesty's Ships calling at Bombay, for One Year from 1st April, 1890.

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No tender will be received after Noon of MONDAY the 3rd of February, 1890, and the Naval Commander-in-Chief does not bind himself to accept the lowest tender and reserves to himself the right to reject any or all the tenders.

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Bodicea at Madras, 15th December 1889.

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BENGAL-NAGPUR RAILWAY.

NOTICE.

OPENING OF BENGAL-NAGPUR RAILWAY EXTENSION TO RAIGARH AND SAMBULPUR FOR GOODS AND COACHING TRAFFIC.

ON the 1st proximo, the following Stations on the Bilaspur—Raigarh—Section, will be opened for goods and a month later for Passenger traffic :—

Paraghat	265	miles from Nagpur.
Akaltra	273	„ „
Nalla	282	„ „
Champa	289	„ „
Baradwar	299	„ „
Sakti	308	„ „
Kharsia	317	„ „
Naharpali	328	„ „
Raigarh	339	„ „

The Raigarh Sambulpur extension will be opened for goods and Coaching traffic on the 1st March and 1st April respectively. The following are the names of stations on this section, viz :—

Tamsa	350	Miles from Nagpur.
Kanika	362	„ „
Semra	370	„ „
Sambulpur Road	383	„ „

A. E. P. GRAVES,
Traffic Manager.

Nagpur, 16th January, 1890.

BOMBAY, BARODA AND CENTRAL INDIA RAILWAY

INCLUDING
RAJPUTANA-MALWA RAILWAY.

TENDER FOR INDIA RUBBER WATERPROOF CLOTHING.

THE Agent is prepared to receive Sealed Tenders at his Office, Church Gate Street, Fort, Bombay, for the supply of about 55 SUITS I. R. Waterproof "extra long" clothing (each suit to consist of Coat, Cap and Leggings) required for the Broad and Metre gauge Sections of the Company's system for the year 1890, to be delivered at the Storekeeper's Office, Parel, Bombay, or at the Deputy Storekeeper's Office, R. M. Railway, Ajmere, during the month of May 1890.

2. Tenders which must be accompanied with samples carefully labelled with Tenderer's name, and residence in full, and an earnest Fee of Rs. (500) five hundred (in Currency notes or Government paper) will be received up to 1 p.m. (gun fire) on Monday the 10th February 1890, and should be superscribed "Tender for I. R. Waterproof Clothing."

3. Government or other securities should be endorsed in favor of the B. B. & C. I. Railway.

4. The successful Tenderer will be allowed carriage over the company's system for delivery at Ajmere at Revenue Rate, viz., 13 pies per maund per mile.

5. The Agent does not bind himself to accept the lowest or any Tender,

S. A. DUIGAN,
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Storekeeper's Office, Parel, 17th Jan. 1890,

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IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT BOMBAY.

ORDINARY ORIGINAL CIVIL JURISDICTION.

In the matter of the Indian Companies' Act VI of 1882, and In the matter of the PRINCE OF WALES SPINNING AND MANUFACTURING COMPANY, LIMITED, (in LIQUIDATION.)

The PRINCE of WALES SPINNING and MANUFACTURING Co., LIMITED. Petitioners.

THE CREDITORS of the abovenamed Company are required on or before the 27th day of January 1890, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debt or claims and the names and addresses of their Attorneys here (if any) to L. N. Banaji of Bombay, the official Liquidator of the said Company, at the office of the above Company (in liquidation) No. 23 Rampart Row.—Dated this 17th day of January, 1890.

THAKURDAS DHARAMSI & CAMA,
Attorney for the Official Liquidator.

NOTICE.

THE undersigned begs to inform Ladies that she SUPPLIES WET-NURSES and DOMESTIC SERVANTS to all parts of India and England, and also takes entire charge of Infants in her Nursery at moderate rates.

The business is of several years' standing and possesses good testimonials. Apply to

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SALES BY AUCTION.

BOMANJI DOSSABHOY,

AUCTION SALE OF VERY VALUABLE BUNGALOW OUT-HOUSES COOK-ROOM, STABLES AT PARLI HILL BANDORA.

On SUNDAY, the 9th day of February, 1890, at 4 o'clock p.m., Mr. BOMANJEE DOSSABHOY Auctioneer, will by the order of H. O. Campbell, Esquire, put up for sale by Public Auction, on the premises, the property hereunder described.

All that piece or parcel of freehold land or ground containing by admeasurement 3,950 square yards or thereabouts, situate on Parli Hill, near Bandora, in the Island of Salsette, in survey No. 251, subdistrict Salsette and district Thana, and bounded on or towards the north by a new and private road lately made by the Bombay Land and Building Company, Limited, on or towards the east by a road along the top of Parli Hill, on or towards the south by land of the late Merwanjee Manockjee Sethna, and on or towards the west by land belonging to the said Bombay Land and Building Company, Limited.

Together with a newly built bungalow on the said ground charmingly situated with an excellent view, and entirely open to the sea-breeze, and containing dining-room, drawing room, morning room, two bed rooms with dress-rooms, and bath rooms attached, and a large godown, a large garden and well of good water, and also roomy coach-house, stabling for 3 horses, cook-room and ample servants quarters.

Together with all right, easements and appurtenances belonging thereto.

The bungalow is now in the occupation of C. H. B. Forbes, Esquire, under a lease for one year from the 1st January, 1890, at a monthly rent of Rs. 110.

For further particulars and conditions of sale apply to the undersigned, or to Messrs. Payne, Gilbert and Sayani, 20, National Bank Building.

BOMANJI DOSSABHOY,
Bombay, January 20, 1890. Auctioneer.

SALES BY AUCTION.

MEHRJEE, JOHNSTON & CO.,

No. 4, FORBES & MEDOWS STREETS.

SALE OF DAMAGED DAMASK AND TAPES.

THIS DAY MONDAY, the 20th inst, at 2 p.m., Messrs. MEHRJEE JOHNSTON and Co will sell by Public Auction, at their sale rooms No. 4 Forbes and Medows Street, Fort, on account of the underwriters the following Landed Ex s. s. Thames.

F. and B. No. 1—1 case 13 pieces damaged white, black, and Violet Damask, and 7 boxes Tapes.

SALE OF STOCK-IN-TRADE OF SALT IN THE KARANJEE AND URAN TALOOKAS.

Under instructions from C. A. Turner, Esq., Official Assignee, H. C. and Assignee of the estate and effects of Abdulla Hajee Ahmed, Harun Mahomed, and others, trading under the name of Hajee Mitha Kasam, insolvents, the undersigned will sell by Public Auction all the right, title and interest of the said insolvents in the undermentioned quantities of salt, THIS DAY MONDAY, the 20th January, at 2 p.m., at their sale rooms, No. 4, Forbes and Medows Streets, Fort, Bombay, the very large quantities of salt (about 80,376 maunds, lying at Sejas), viz. : Sonmogra, Bhudkhal, Zagodi, Kanjikhar and Dongarkhar, will be sold in convenient lots to suit buyers.

For further particulars and condition of sale apply to the undersigned.

SALE OF OLD BUILDING MATERIALS, &c.

Under instructions from W. Osborn, R.E, Executive Engineer, Military Works Bombay, the undersigned will sell by Public Auction on FRIDAY, the 24th instant, at 2 p.m., in H M's Dockyard, Fort, consisting of old teak, beams, joists, planks, gates, bamboo, matting, &c.

Also at 3-30 p.m. opposite the Grand Arsenal storeyard, consisting of old rafters, planks, teak pieces, debris, &c.

SALE OF STOCK-IN-TRADE OF MILL AND PRESS STORES, HARDWARE, MACHINERY, SHIP CHANDLERS GOODS, COOKING STOVES &c.

Under instructions from the sole liquidator of Messrs M. M. Mody and Co Ld Messrs MEHRJEE JOHNSTON and Co will sell by Public Auction on MONDAY, the 3rd February 1890, at 12 o'clock noon, (and on the alternate days until all lots are sold) at No 2 Dullal Street, Fort, the same comprising axes, bobbins, cotton banding pickling bands, life buoys, beltings, brushes, phosphor bronze, pully blocks, bellows, barrows, copper, iron and brass bars, tubes, brads, nails, rivets, tacks washers, screws, wire, ratchet braces, bricks, bolts, nuts, platform weighing machines, wire netting, oars, oils, varnish, powders, paints, pipes, pickers, papers, pumps, iron and enamelled pots, pans, potash, asbestos, packing, planes, pulleys, hobbs padlock, pins, posts, powras, manilla hemp, boir, English tarred and wire ropes, India rubber, rings, rowlocks, combs, reeds, skewers, beams, scales, canvas, cops, bushions, cloth washer, chisels gram brushers, hand buffs, chains, cement, cans, crucibles, couplings, jim brows, boiler composition, emery, fire engine, flax, fillets, forges, gas fittings, loom forks, farrina, fuse globes glue wire gauze, plate and roofs glasses handles, hoops, log line, suction hose heads, hooks, hammers, jacks, knives, kettles, American ladders, lamps, spirit levels, lawn mowers twine, tarpentines, thimbles, tapes, bathing tubs, urinaries valve, vices, weights, wax, winches, sieves, sheaves, scrapers, soap, grind stones, spindles, zinc, and lead sheets solder brass, fog signals, shuttles, spanners, wire screens, springs, ferrule, shacles, cooking stoves, whitieg, yarn yokes &c., &c. Catalogues Published.

MEHRJEE, JOHNSTON & Co.

Bombay, January 20, 1890.

CRAWFORD AND COMPANY,

7, MARINE STREET.

SALE OF OUTSTANDINGS OF C, JOST & CO, (IN LIQUIDATION).

THIS DAY, MONDAY, the 20th instant, at 3 p. m. Messrs. CRAWFORD and Co, are instructed to sell by Public Auction at their rooms,—

The outstandings of the firm of C, Jost and Co, (in liquidation), the list of which may be seen at the office of the Auctioneers,

WEEKLY AUCTION SALE.

THIS DAY, MONDAY the 20th inst. at 3 p.m., Messrs. CRAWFORD and Co. will sell by Public Auction at their, rooms—

10 bales grey shirtings
59 „ „ dhoties 10 yards
5 cases Turkey red scarves
3cases prints
51 silver Albert chains

By order of Jaitha Rima and Co, and on account and at the risk of the estate of the late Moolchund Furusram and Amerchund Moolchand (an insolvent) the mortgagees :—

Pearls, diamond, ruby, and emerald ornaments called her tanmanin, rose ring, breast pin, rings, chuudun ha and kakun.

On account and at the risk of Ali Bin Abdoola—

1 bundle containing 10 parcels of inferior pearls.

On account and at the risk of W. Duarte—

5 galvanic batteries.
5 gross gold and silver polishing paste.

The property of a Gentleman consisting of wearing apparel, ornaments and sundries,

AT 2 P.M.

1 strong second-hand double-seated brougham.
1 „ „ wagonette.
1 second-hand office shigram

By order of the trustees of Hajee Aboo Ahmed and Hajee Ahmed Haji Aboo—

1 second hand and office shigram.
1 „ „ spring barouche,
1 Bicycle and 1 Tricycle both in good order.
2 English Geese and ½ dozen English and Bussorah fowls.

And any other carriages and horses which may be offered

On WEDNESDAY the 22nd January at 1 p. m, Messrs. CRAWFORD & Co., are instructed to sell by Public Auction, at No. 136, Middle Colaba, the valuable and handsome French polished black-wood and teak-wood household furniture, plated ware, neat crockery and glassware, a handsome sweet, toned mahogany, Square pianoforte, by Schiedmayer and Soehne in good order large size cooking stove with chimney, gilt pier glasses with tables to match, China and Japanese flower vases, handsome table ornaments, Hink's K. O. lamp, carpets, pictures, &c., the property of Mrs. MINCK.

Catalogues are published and the property is on view.

SALE OF FRESH ARAB HORSES AT THE STABLES OF SHAIK ESSA BIN CURTAS, BELLASIS ROAD, BYCULLA.

On THURSDAY next, the 23rd instant, at 2 p.m., Messrs. CRAWFORD & Co., are instructed to sell by Public Auction at the stables of Shaik Essa Bin Curtas, Bellasis Road.

A number of handsome fresh Arab horses, consisting of hunters, chargers, and hacks, the property of Arab dealers proceedings to their native country.

On SATURDAY, the 25th instant, sale commencing at 1 p.m., Messrs. CRAWFORD and Co. are instructed to sell by Public Auction at Bellasis Road, Byculla, opposite Byculla Club, and next to the Government Medical Store, the valuable and handsome French-polished black-wood, teakwood, household furniture' best plated-ware, rich crockery and glassware, table and hanging lamps, pictures, carpets, &c., the property of the Revd. W. BELL.

The property will be on view three days before the sale.

CRAWFORD & CO.

Bombay January, 20 1890.

BENNETT AND COMPANY,

No 22, APOLLO STREET.

THIS DAY MONDAY, the 20th instant, at 1 p.m Messrs. BENNETT & Co. are instructed to sell by Public Auction at "Davur Hall," Breach Candy, the very valuable and handsome black and teakwood substantial made, neatly French polished household furniture of the latest design, and especially made to order by Jemsedji Nowroji, Cabinet maker, magnificent large size Japanese vases, very rich gold embroidered table cloths, costly velvet door curtains, Japanese, China and Indian curiosities, very rich large size Persian and velvet carpets, &c., &c., the property of a Nawab of Hydrabad.

Catalogues are published, and the property is on view:

BONA-FIDE SALE.

A sea view terraces No. 2, Top floor Woodehouse Road Colaba. The valuable household furniture, &c., of Mr. H. V. FAULCONER, manufactured by John Roberts. Jamsetjee Nowrojee and others, consisting of drawing-room, dining-room and bed-room furniture, dinner and breakfast sets, very handsome hand painted decent sets table and kerosine lamps, by Theodore Knaust, wall brackets, first rate pictures and oleographs, table ornaments and used carriage, &c, on SATURDAY, the 26th inst, at 1 p. m.

Catalogues will be published and the property on view 4 days before the sale.

BONA-FIDE SALE.

On SATURDAY, the 22nd February next, at 1 p.m. Messrs. BENNETT and Co., are instructed to sell by Public Auction at Middle Colaba, valuable black wood and teakwood French-polished household furniture, plated, glass and crockery ware, handsome China and Japanese flower vases, table and hanging kerosine lamps &c., the property of J. MORRIS, Esq.

Catalogues will be published and the property will be on view 4 days before the sale.

GOOD OPPORTUNITY TO INVESTORS.
AUCTION SALE OF THE PRINCE OF WALES MILLS IN LIQUIDATION.

Will be sold to the highest bidder and without reserve.

On WEDNESDAY, the 29th instant, at 3 p.m., Messrs. BENNETT & Co., will by order of the Official Liquidator put up for sale by Public Auction in one lot at their sale rooms, No. 22, Apollo Street, the leasehold property hereunder described and the engines, boilers, machinery and plant of the said Mills. All that piece or parcel of leasehold land or ground, containing by admeasurement twenty-four thousand five hundred and forty-seven square yards or thereabouts, registered in the books of the Collector of Land Revenue under Nos. 58, 59 and 285, situate on the south side of a public passage on the Chinchpogoly Road, in the sub-district formerly of Mandvie, but now of Bombay, in the island of Bombay, and bounded on the north by the said public passage, on the south by the property of Manockjee Sorabjee Powalla, on the east by a public passage, and on the west partly by the property of Haji Gool Mahomed Haji Abdool Rehman, partly by the property of Hajee Mahomed Haji Abdool Karim and partly by the property of Haji Abdool Sookoor Cuddoe, which said premises were formerly and now are in the possession of the Prince of Wales Spinning and Manufacturing Company, Limited, together with the buildings and erections standing thereon, and all rights, easements, and appurtenances belonging thereto.

The above described property is held under a lease dated the 16th day of April, 1879, for a term of 99 years from the 2nd day of October, 1878.

For further particulars and conditions of sale apply to the undersigned,

OUTRIGHT SALE OF HORSES, the property of 1st Bombay Lancers, on MONDAY, the 3rd February, 1890, at the Commissioned Stables, Bellasis Road, Byculla, at 3-30 p.m. sharp.

Under Instructions from the Officers Commanding 1st Bombay Lancers, Messrs. BENNETT & Co. will sell by Public Auction, without reserve, at the abovementioned date and place, sixteen horses, the property of the regiment.

The majority are suitable for harness or hack purposes, and can be seen at Ludha Ebrahim and Co.'s stable in Bellasis Road, Byculla, 4 days previous to the sale.

BENNETT & CO.

Bombay, January 20, 1890.

PASSAGE SEASON, 1890.

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THE "UPRIGHT IRON GRAND," solid Ebonized case, with gold incised ornamentation, overstrung scale, solid iron frame, 7 octaves, metal Pin Plate, Steinway action on metal standards. Handsome Ormolu handles and sconces, carved Trusses. The finest Upright Grand Imported ... ... „ 725

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SYMPATHETIC GRAND SQUARE, overstrung scale, solid, complete bronzed-iron frame, extending over pin plank and bridge, Agraffe treble American dampers, 7 octaves ... „ 700

THE SCHIEDMAYER SYMPATHETIC GRAND SQUARE, with overstrung bass, made upon scientific principles, solid iron frame, with two pedals ... ... „ 875

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EBONIZED AND GOLD METAL FRAME PIANO, 7 Octaves, Check Action, 3 Unisons, Metal Pin Plate, flat fall, Panel front with Gold incised Decorations and Sconces with Glass Shades, extra bolted and screwed, Wire Gauze back ... ... „ 700

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Bombay, 3rd January 1890.

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H. G. GELI,
Honorary Secretary, Provisional Committee.

Byculla Club, January 14, 1890.

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ECHOES OF SCIENCE.

The phonograph has been successfully tried as an adjunct to the type-writer at the offices of Messrs. J. and W. Richardson, 12, Queen Victoria-street, E.C. A phonograph with a dictated message in it was placed beside the type-writer clerk and the ear-pieces fitted to his head. The apparatus was then started, and the words spoken into the ears of the clerk were at once printed by him with the type-writer. The latter was a barlock instrument, as supplied by Messrs. Richardson, and the ink is such that a number of copies can be obtained from the original print. The latest phonograph of Edison is said to be an improvement on that of the past year, and likely to be more popular. No doubt, if this ingenious machine could be relied upon, it would be useful to some business men in helping them to dispense with an extra clerk, for they could dictate informals replies to letters, which a clerk could copy at his leisure.

An interesting account of a borax lake in California was recently given by Mr. C. Napier Hake to the London section of the Chemical Society. The lake is situated in San Bernardino county, about 450 miles from San Francisco, and 72 miles from the Mojane station of the Atlantic and Pacific Railway. It is 1,700 feet above the level of the sea in a valley of the State Range and Argus Mountains. Its shape is oval, the greatest length being 12 miles, and greatest breadth eight miles. The saline incrustation which covers its dry basin varies in thickness from several inches to several feet, and under it is a black mud impregnated with salts and sulphuretted hydrogen gas. The "salts" consist of common salt, carbonate of soda, biporate of soda, ammonia, &c., and the borax occupies the north end of the lake. Near the middle of the latter is a "crystal bed" or pool of water, with large crystals on the bottom mud. These form nests or clusters several feet in thickness, and consist of common salt and carbonate of soda, with a large admixture of borax. The dry efflorescent borax of the lake is collected and refined in a factory at the end of the lake, the workmen being Chinese. It is transported by mules to Mojane, form which it is sent away by rail. The deposits yield from 1,500 to 2,000 tons of borax annually, most of which is consumed in the United States. The supply is practically inexhaustible.

The "Keely motor," which attracted much attention in mechanical circles some ten years ago, has again come to the front. There is a mystery about this so-called invention which reminds us of the notorious electric sugar frauds. The Americans have a predilection for the discovery of new forces in nature. Mr. Keely claims to have discovered an obscure mechanical agency hitherto unutilised. From the somewhat hazy accounts received of his latest engine it appears to depend on the vibrations of sound which he so employs as to disintegrate water and thus liberate its component gases at a high pressure. A number of well-known American scientific men have seen his mysterious apparatus at work, and one of them confesses he could detect no signs of fraud in its action, nor could he tell how it operated. He speaks under all reserve, but is "anxious to see more." Meantime Mr. Keely is at work finishing a "commercial engine," and the necessary funds have been provided by the Keely Motor Company.

The wing feathers of the touraco of African plaintain-eater are known to contain a red pigment, which is to some extent soluble in water, and the fact has given rise to stories of the bird sheltering itself from rain which are hardly credible. Mr. Frank E. Beddard now draws attention to a soluble pigment in the spines of the South American tree porcupine (*Sphingurus villosus*). The quills are tinged with a bright yellow and tipped with a dark brown. The yellow colour was dissolved by Mr. Beddard in ordinary tap-water, warm or cold: but the brown resisted the solvent action of alcohol and chloroform, though it yielded to ammonia and potash. The spines treated were taken from the skin of dead specimen, lately a captive in the Gardens of the Zoological Society; but there in every probability that the pigment of the living animal is equally soluble in water.

Electric pianos are no novelty, and it is doubtful whether we shall hear much more of those recently tried at a concert in Chickering Hall, Boston. The music took the form of a paper roll, with holes in it, and as this roll was drawn through the instrument automatically, the holes allowed jets of compressed air to escape, and closed corresponding electric circuit which by means of magnetism struck the keys upon the strings, and played the tune. All that the operator had to do was to work the pedals and regulate the time. Such mechanical devices can never make up for the art and feeling of a player, and they are little better than monuments of misapplied ingenuity. One can only regard them as a superior kind of music box or barrel organ.

In a paper read before the American Institute of Mining Engineers, Mr. W. J. Keep, of Detroit, Michigan, has shown that the addition of a small proportion of aluminium to pig-iron during its reduction in the blast furnace changes the carbon combined with it into graphite, as silicon does, but without the weakening effect of the latter ingredient. It is not to grey iron, but to white iron, or iron low in its percentage of silicon, that aluminium can be added with advantage. Any addition of aluminium to iron already made grey by silicon, and consequently weakened, would cause a further separation of graphite, and make the iron still greyer and weaker. Silicon and aluminium work together in making iron grey, but if the silicon, as Mr. Keep advises, be left out, and aluminium used instead, the iron will be greyer, softer, and stronger than if silicon were the agent employed.

Professor Luigi Gaccinotti, who died the other day at Pisa, may be said to have been "discovered" at the Paris Electrical Exhibition of 1881. He was born at Gistoia in 1807, and appointed Professor of Experimental Science at the College of Pisa in 1841. He invented the "ring" armative of the dynamo long before Gramme; but it was lost sight of until his original apparatus was exhibited at Paris, when the modest and retiring man of science became the hero of his electrical brethren, much to his own confusion. He was almost as nervous at the distinction conferred upon him there as the celebrated English philosopher, Cavendish, who on being complimented upon his researches by a foreign notability, just introduced to him, was unable to bear the enlogium, and rushed out of the room.

Mr. Edison (now of Orange, New Jersey) has been extending the sphere of his inventiveness by producing a voltaic cell specially adapted for telegraph work, electro-plating, or driving electric motors. It consists essentially of a cylinder of zinc and a plate of compressed peroxide of lead immersed in a solution of caustic potash. The electromotive force of the combination is 0·95 volts when the cell is not working; but it falls to 0·7 when the cell is doing heavy work, that is to say, when its poles are connected through a comparatively low resistance. Three different sizes of the cell are made, having a capacity of 15, 150, and 300 "ampere-hours" respectively. The "ampere-hour" means an ampere of current supplied for an hour.

It has long been supposed that the aborigines of Tasmania were an extinct race; but according to a paper recently read before the Tasmanian Royal Society by Mr. James Barnared, there is still one pure native alive in the person of Fanny Cochran Smith, 55 years of age, and the mother of six sons and five daughters, all of whome are flourishing. Mr. Barnard remembers her when she was a girl of 15, as one of the 30 or 40 natives who still lingered at Oyster Cave, and at that time no one doubted her true aboriginal extraction.

Some curious experiments of Sir Archibald Campbell, of Blyswood, and Mr. J. T. Bottomley illustrate the power of the Wimshurst electrical machine. Sir Archibald Campbell has installed two of these machines in his private laboratory, one of which is capable of giving a current of one or two millimetres at and enormously high potential, estimated at hundreds of thousands of volts. When a lighted candle is brought near one of the conductors of the machine it is blown out by the air currents due to the electrification of the atmosphere in its vicinity. When the conductors are terminated by polished metal balls the candle is blown out near the positive ball, but not near the negative one. Indeed the smouldering wick can be relighted at the latter by the negative sparks drawn down to the wick through the column of smoke ascending from it. The positive ball seems quite unable to re-kindle the flame.

During the widening of the Suez Canal the removal of a stratum of rock at Chalouf presented a certain engineering difficulty, since blasting would have interfered with the traffic of the waterway. It was successfully overcome, however, by the use of the cutting stamps of Mr. Henry Lobnitz, of Renfrew. Each stamp employed weighed four tons, and fell a height of six feet, breaking the rock into pieces of several tons in weight, which were subsequently broken small by the same means, and then removed by the dredger. The stamps are self-sharpening, their cutting edges being harder inside than out.

A STRANGE STORY OF MALADMINISTRATION IN A NATIVE STATE.

(Continued from Saturday's *Bombay Gazette*.)

The village of Yusif near Aybra is mostly inhabited by fakirs. These get according to custom grain from the State stores for their maintenance. The creditors of the fakirs receive from them in due course of business the grain in payment of their account claims. Some time back, the fakirs gave, as usual, a quality of grain of the value of Rs. 335 to their creditors in payment of their debts. Subsequently, under the orders of the Munshis these poor creditors were compelled to pay to the State Rs. 670 on the allegation that the grain had been removed by the fakirs without permission, and so was stolen. Thus the innocent Banias were mulcted in a large sum while the real culprits, if the allegations as to the theft be true, for no inquiry was made, got off scot-free besides getting from the Banias Rs. 335.

24. The want of a system is observable in the administration of civil justice as in criminal justice. There are no codes to regulate the rights of the parties *inter se*, or the procedure of the judicial officers in the determination of those rights.

The same officers that administer criminal justice also administer civil justice. They are also executive officers. As in criminal matters so in civil matters the jurisdiction of the different officers is not clearly defined or any limitations adhered to.

An institution fee of Rs. 2-8 per cent. is claimed in a suit. But on the amount decreed a heavy fee of one-fourth the amount is levied in addition to the institution fee. But what is worse the execution of the decrees is of the most uncertain kind. In several instances His Highness' government recovers at once the full amount of the decree by a compulsory process, but the decree-holder is not paid. He gets his money from the State by instalments which are irregularly paid and after great trouble and expense. A notable instance of this kind is that of a Bania, a decree-holder whose judgment-debtor had been made to pay the money in full to the State, but when the State would not pay what had been so received, the decree-holder as a last resort appealed to the Political Agent of Khairpur through whose good offices he got his due, but for his complaint he had to remove from His Highness' territory, and is now living in Larkana.

In other cases though the decree is for immediate payment, private influences succeed in delaying the creditor, and the debtor is allowed to pay by instalments, or escapes payment altogether.

The same delay, the same compulsory travelling with the camps of the officers of His Highness, occur in civil cases as in criminal matters. Parties and witnesses have to hang about the camps for a long time before any decision is passed. No enquiry worth the name is ever made into the rights of the parties. The decision depends upon the will or the caprice of the officers miscalled Judges.

Loans made to officers and other influential men cannot be recovered except at the will and pleasure of the borrowers. If these loans had been voluntary ones the lender ought to blame himself, but the loans are of a compulsory character, and cannot be avoided.

25. It is notorious that His Highness is extremely fond of hunting. Everything is sacrificed to this passion. Nearly half the State is preserved as a hunting ground. One-fourth is lying waste owing to the general maladministration, and the peculiar hardships under which the land-owners and the cultivating classes labour, and it is only the remaining fourth that is under cultivation. But as the cultivators have to bear very great hardship, land is gradually getting out of cultivation.

The hunting grounds are watched over by officers know as "Rakhas" (watchmen.) These men oppress the people in a fearful manner. Every cultivator is bound to work for His Highness when called upon. Extensive hedges are put up round the hunting grounds and these are constantly repaired. Hundreds of the cultivators from far and near are driven away from their homes and fields to work at these hedges, and they are obliged to bejaway for days and months together from their homes and their fields. Nothing is paid to them, not even any subsistence allowance during the time they are so impressed into His Highness' service.

After one Rakha has had the hedge put up, another may come and disapprove of it, and may insist upon a new hedge being put up. The only resource left to the wretched cultivators is to raise money and satisfy the greed of the Rakha so that the new hedge may be abandoned. Instances are not wanting in which hedges put up have been pulled down in mere wantonness, and again raised necessitating the continuous labour of hundreds of men for months together.

If there are two cultivators of one field, one must always be working for His Highness as *Cher*. When the hedges are put up and everything is ready, His Highness comes for Shikar. Then again comes the time for renewed misery for the poor cultivators. Hundreds of them are taken away from their cultivations, leaving the care of them to their women. These men when out with His Highness are employed night and day to rouse the game, and to serve His Highness' attendants. Even the provisions that they take for their own consumption are taken away from them by the servants of His Highness. In the cold season these poor people are exposed to the rigour of the cold. Their scanty bedding is mercilessly taken away from them for the use of His Highness' retinue. Many have been known to die of the extreme hardships to which they are then subjected. Those who remonstrate or refuse to comply with the wishes of the Shikaris, are put to further hardships and taken to work at other hunting grounds. No complaint has any chance of being heard by His Highness.

While these men are thus toiling and undergoing untold miseries, their cultivations fall a prey to the wild pigs and other animals. The women and the infirm that are left behind are obliged to keep watch for whole nights to protect their cultivations. But owing to the complete protection that the wild pigs enjoy, on account of their being considered the special game for His Highness, they are perfectly unmolested and have multiplied to an alarming extent. No amount of watchfulness can protect the cultivations from their ravages. The watchmen and watchwomen can only try to frighten these animals, as it is penal to kill or wound them. The life of a pig is much safer than that of a subject, for any one accused of killing or wounding a wild pig is imprisoned for an indefinite period, and has to rot in jail, without bed and board, neither of which is supplied by the State.

If a boar meets with a natural death and the carcase is mangled, or if the village dogs attack and kill a boar the owners of the dogs are punished and imprisoned during His Highness' pleasure. In many instances on the least suspicion people living in the villages have been maltreated or imprisoned by order of His Highness because a boar has been seen dead near their cultivations or their houses. Wild pigs have become the curse of the cultivators on account of the protection extended to them. No field is safe from their ravages, and even His Highness' capital is not free from the depredations of these destructive beasts.

A few illustrations may be here given:—

About three months ago while passing by the Mahari (hedge) of a hunting ground in the Deh of Pir Goolo, His Highness noticed a slight breach which was made probably by wild beasts. On enquiry he was informed that the hedge had been made by the Zamindar Sahib Wasan. His Highness then had him brought before him under arrest and ill-treated him fined him Rs. 600, and he was ordered to be detained in jail antill the money could be paid. The man is still in jail. It may be remarked here that these orders are all verbal no written record being kept an enquiry made to ascertain facts.

While in pursuit of game through the fields if His Highness' palanquin bearers chance to stumble over some stuble or other obstruction, the owner of the field is arrested and imprisoned several days and fined Rs. 50 or more.

About 13 months ago in the Deh of Janwan near Dija ka Kote a young pig died and the carcase was being eaten by dogs. The Rakho (watchman) of the neighbouring hunting ground noticed this, and on enquiry found out the owners of the dogs, namely, Habib and Dino, arrested them, took them to His Highness under whose orders they are still under imprisonment and as there is no term fixed they may have to spend their lives in jail, unless some influential man interferes and gets them off. Illustrations of this kind may be multiplied as they are almost of daily occurrence.

26. Wherever His Highness on his shikar expeditions encamps, the inhabitants of that place and the neighbourhood within a radius of 2 or 3 koss are deprived of their cots, and have to supply beasts of burden &c. for the convenience of His Highness' retinue. Respectability is no protection against this hardship. Even the sick and infirm are deprived of their beds, and to make the hardship still more keenly felt the owners are compelled to carry them to the camp of His Highness, and are made to serve the officer and others as servants and to attend their kitchens. This becomes still more unbearable when these poor people driven away from their houses, are left without a shelter and without any allowance for food. Those that refuse or make excuses are beaten and put in stocks. Such of the servants of the Mir as are not provided for with any shelter are billeted on the inhabitants. These lawless men turn out the inmates of the houses, and in order to warm themselves during the winter, light fires with everything that they can lay their hands on, no matter if it becomes necessary for that end to pull down portions of the cottages of the poor cultivators. Against such systematic oppression no hearing can be obtained, much less any redress.

When His Highness goes to the hills to hunt, camels are impressed for conveyance of water, &c. Camels are taken away from the owners and not restored until His Highness returns from the hills. When camels are being impressed, every traveller is deprived of his camel. No regard is paid to his convenience. Wherever he is found whether it be in the middle of his journey, in the jungle, or away from any kind of habitation, he is deprived of the camel and left to shift for himself as best he may. Camels carrying loads of merchandize, and on their way are without, ceremony seized, their loads thrown down on the spot and then they are taken away. Not the least thought is given to the consequences which may result to the owners or the merchants. They must make what arrangements they can to have their goods carried. Instances are known in which marriage processions with bride and bridegroom and all their property are deprived of their riding and loading camels while going from one place to another, and not only are the conveniences and interests of the subjects sacrified, but no compensation of any kind whatever is paid to the owners of the camels if the camels die or are lost or disabled. Exen the ordinary hire for the use of the camel is not paid. thus the poor people who live upon the earnings of their camels are left without the means of livelihood for months together.

When His Highness goes for shikar to the tail of Mirwah where the country is all waste and the villages distant from one another the poor potters living in distant villages are compelled to give *gratis* earthen pots for the use of His Highness' camp. These are carried over a long distance on donkeys belonging to the residents who are made to hang about the camp of His Highness for months together without any remuneration, nay, without bare subsistence allowances. Hindus are even made, contrary to their religion, to carry baskets of fowl and eggs on their heads while following the camp.

27. On works of public utility such as canals, His Highness' government does not spend a pie. But the people are forced to work on them without wages and even subsistence allowance. Lately a new canal known as the Sathyo canal was ordered to be dug. The people whose lands were to draw water from it were impressed to dig it and to supply labour for it. But even those cultivators or owners of land and wells who could not be benefited by it in any way, were also compelled to work or to contribute 20 Rs. per well or water wheel. Those that resisted were put in stocks. Those that refused to submit at all were put in stocks and compelled to sign relinquishment notes, and were thus deprived of their lands and wells, properties of considerable value. There is no one to hear such complaints or to afford relief.

28. In the territory of His Highness the law of property is not respected. His Highness and his officers look upon the property of people as their own, and if it so please them they deprive the people of their property without any compensation and without any hesitation.

For several years past, that is, even before the town of Deja was built, one Chambadas owned land and some *Nir* (indigo) pits there. By the side of these pits he had enclosed a piece of land and grown on it Tali trees and fruit trees at a considerable expense. The garden looked very beautiful owing to the care that had been bestowed, and the money that had been spent upon it. The State assessment used to be regularly paid. A short time ago His Highness the Mir passed by the garden and took a fancy to it. Forthwith the righful oner who had enjoyed possession for *several years together*, was deprived of his property worth about Rs. 3,000 without a pie being paid to him by way of compensation. About a month ago his other land Nir pits were also taken away by His Highness, and the owner has now nothing left to support himself and his family. Such is the high-handedness of His Hindness himself. Where the ruler of the State himself sets an example of this kind, it is not to be wondered at that his servants carry matters much further.

The Tali-tree makes valuable timber. The practice is that wherever they are seen growing they are cut away by the order of the Munshis without the permission of the owners. The people cannot object, for no objection is ever effective. Those that have taken pains for years together to rear the trees are deprived of them when they grow and become valuable. No one knows what becomes of all this timber, whether it is misappropriated by the Munshis or appropriated to the use of His Highness.

In the same way fruit planted by owners of gardens and collected from various places, and even from British territory at considerable expense, is taken away from the gardens by force and without payment.

Some time ago when Khairpur was inundated, the Munshis removed from Khairpur to Lukman and enclosed within a wall the land and well of one Golo Chaki who had been paying 8 Rs. rent at the rate of one rupee per jerib. The land and the well were the private property of the man. But the Munshis having enclosed them within a wall built the temporary residences therein, and treated the land and well as their own property. They first made the man pay them Rs. 24 as rent. then increased it to Rs. 50 per annum. The man refused to pay, and so was turned out of it. When after the floods the Munshis returned to Khairpur, they still kept possession of the land and well without the consent of or compensation to the owner As if this was not sufficient injury, this same man was last year summarily ejected from the rest of the land and the indigo plants thereon destroyed. The whole land is now in the possession of the Munshis.

In Khairpur itself one Haso Bania owns a house. This was in ruins. An order was promulgated for the repairs of the old houses in Khairpur. Haso collected earth to rebuild it. But Munshi Uttamchand had stored his wood on the site and so disallowed the owner's claim. This was a month ago. The man complained but his complaint was never heard.

One Walarmal of Lukman had been His Highness' purveyor for many years. His Highness was indebted to him in the sum of about Rs. 6,000. Through the medium of Mir Gul Hasan Khan and Seth Khatansing, he was given an order of payment for Rs. 2,000. When Munshi Uttamchand heard this he appointed his own partners as purveyors, got them orders for the Rs. 2,000 as an advance, and had Walarmal's order cancelled, simply because the man had not paid court to him. Walarmal was thus at one stroke deprived of his money and his business. He is a ruined man now, and his creditors are pressing him for payment.

Changomal and Cholamal had a liquor distillery in the neighbourhood of Lukman. Their stock in trade consisted of spices, treacle, fuel, &c. Munshi Utamchand and his relatives deprived the men of the premises and the stock in trade with the apparatus for distilling liquor, and put their own agents Hemoon, Terith and Wassand in posession of the whole concern. This wholesale robbery was perpetrated by the Munshi without the least fear, and not a single *kowrie* has been paid as compensation.

One Kalyanmal owned considerable land with wells on it. The property was very valuable. Mir Gulam Mahadi, His Highness' son, deprived the man of all the property and built his residence on it, and raised a new village known as Aliabad. What remained after this appropriation was not restored to the original owner notwithstanding his entreaties. Not a single pie was paid to him as compensation. The man was completely ruined, and died in grief, and so did his son. His ruin involved the ruin of his creditors also who could not recover anything.

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4. A Bania, Lekhumal died recently. Hasoo Khan has been collecting his outstanding debts, and misappropriating them to his own use. Not a pie has been paid to Lekhumal's widow or to his creditors among whom Chandumal is one to whom the deceased owed large sums of money.

5. Sometime back one Jhamanmal Patwari stored the State grain in the shop of one Bhojomal. Jhaman has since died and Bhoja's shop is still in the hands of Hasoo Khan. Notwithstanding Bhoja's protests and complaints he is neither given any rent, nor is possession restored to him.

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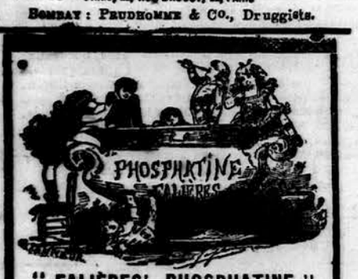

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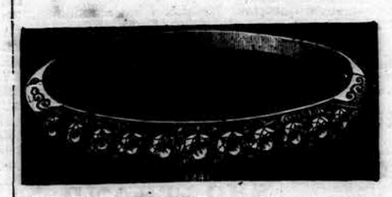

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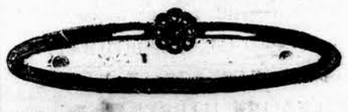

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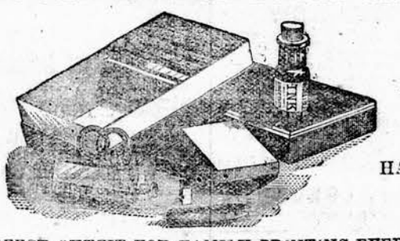

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